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Episode #5 "Missing Plans"

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MISSING PLANS

After a chase through the building Davis succeeds in getting the parchment but on seeking to leave the building finds his way to the door blocked by members of the gang. He goes to an upper story and signals Louise to bring the car to the front of the building. As Louise drives up Eddie jumps to the car and they drive to her home. They meet Louise' father, a chemist, and he endeavors to solve the secret of the parchment by chemical formula@ Fearing further attemps to get the parchment Davis decides to stay at the Bradley's overnight. He 'phones home and tells the maid to inform his grandmother and also of his recovery of the parchment. Marie, the maid, is secretly in the employ of the gang seeking to get the parchment and immediately informs her chief, Zoro Marks, of Davis' decision. She is instructed to call up Davis and inform him that his grandmother is worse and that he had better come home. Meanwhile, the gang headed by Marks start in the direction of the Bardley home. Davis starts home, leaving the parchment in the hands of Mr. Bradley who is trying to bring out the secret map.

On leaving the house Davis is accosted by a member of the Marks Gang. He is assaulted and taken to a waterfront dive, a prisoner. They search Davis and finding themselves beaten in their attempt to get the parchment make plans to kidnap Louise, who they now feel certain has the parchment.

Using Marie, known to Louise as the Davis maid, as a decoy, they succeed in getting Louise to leave the house believing Eddie has been hurt in an accident. Marie tells her that she must return to Mrs. Davis, who is dying, but that the men who informed her of the accident are outside and they will take her to the sanitarium where Eddie is.

Louise is taken to Dr. Duncan's Sanitarium, an institution at the command of Zoro Marks. She is soon made to realize that she has been misled and is made a prisoner in an upper story room.

Marie returns to the Bradley home feigning illness and succeeds in securing the parchment from Louise father.

Davis has in the meantime managed to break the ropes holding him prisoner. The two men left to guard him see him as he escapes from the room and give chase. In an endeavor to escape his captors Eddie climbs to the outside of the building and walks along a ledge. One of the gangsters follow him and a fight on the outside of the building follows.

End of Chapter Five.

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